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Please see the attached.

Thank you.

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November 4, 2015

VIA E-MAIL (hq.foia@epa.gov)

National Freedom of Information Officer
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW (2822T)
Washington, DC 20460

Re: Freedom of Information Act Request for Records: Communications between the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency National Center for Environmental Assessment and the California Environmental Protection Agency Office of Environmental Health Hazard Assessment

Dear Freedom of Information Officer:

Pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act ("FOIA"), as amended, 5 U.S.C. §§ 552 et seq., and implementing regulations promulgated by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency ("EPA"), 40 C.F.R. Part 2, the American Chemistry Council ("ACC") requests copies of all Records related to any written or electronic communications from August 9, 2012 until the present between EPA's National Center for Environmental Assessment and the California Environmental Protection Agency's Office of Environmental Health Hazard Assessment regarding:

1. the development or predevelopment of any chemical reviewed by EPA's Integrated Risk Information System ("IRIS") program, or
2. any chemical considered for review by the IRIS program.

As used in this request, the term "Records" has the meaning in 5 U.S.C. § 552(f)(2).¹

I understand that pursuant to EPA's FOIA regulations, I can expect a response to this request within 20 working days of your receipt of this letter. To facilitate a timely response, please forward me interim responses as subsets of responsive records become available. Should EPA decide to withhold any responsive documents, please provide me a "Vaughn Index" identifying each such document withheld and the basis for withholding it.

¹ This request does not seek records previously produced to ACC in response to FOIA request EPA-HQ-2013-001345, submitted on November 14, 2012.



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We are willing to pay reasonable fees, up to \$200, for responding to this request. If costs will exceed that amount, or if you have any questions regarding this request, please contact me at (202) 249-6139 or Laura_Brust@americanchemistry.com. Thank you for your prompt attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

Laura A. Brust

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